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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title page,

Item [56], **References Cited**, OTHER PUBLICATIONS,

"Dung et al." reference, after "its association with a gene" delete "expresses" and insert -- expressed --.

"Eshed et al." reference, change "Less-than-epistatic" to -- Less-than-additive-epistatic --.

"Holm et al." reference, after "crossing experiments" delete "withdiploid" and insert -- with diploid --.

"Kenny et al." reference, delete "et al.".

"Purnhauser et al." reference, after "A method" delete "fro" and insert -- for --.

"Asker and Jerling" reference, (first listing) after "apomixis in Plants, p. 81-107, 241-283, delete "1982" and insert -- 1992 --.

"Hussey et al." reference, after "sexual embryo sacs in facultative", delete "apomietic" and insert -- apomictic --.

"Carman, John G.," reference, after "*Asynchronous Expression of Duplicate Genes in*", delete "*Agniosperms*" and insert -- *Angiosperms* --.

"Carman, J.G." reference, (second listing) before "Sep. 25-27, College Station, Texas (1995), delete "Apomi" and insert -- Apomix --.

"Carman, J.G." reference, (third listing) after "*Comparative Histology of Cell Walls During Meiotic and Apomeiotic*", delete "*Megasporoge*" and insert -- *Megasporogenesis* --.

"Carman, J.G." reference, (fourth listing) after "Crop Science", delete "2" and insert -- 22 --.

"Crane, C.F. et al." reference, after "*Eastern Australia and New*", delete "*Zeala*" and insert -- *Zealand* --.

"Ellerstrom S. et al." reference, after "Hereditas 87:" delete "10" and insert -- 107 --.

"Knox, R.B. et al." reference, after "*Apomixis in a Grass of the Andropogoneae*", delete "Botanisk" and insert -- Botaniska --.

Drawings,

Delete Drawing FIGS. 1-4 and substitute therefor Drawing FIGS. 1-4 on attached sheets.

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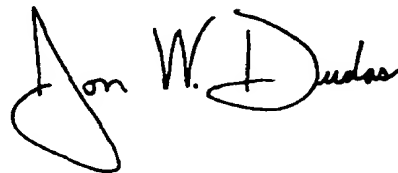
Column 27,

Line 43, delete "(b)".

Line 48, delete the second occurrence of "the".

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Fig. 1A

Monospority (mbis)

Polygonum
(8-nucleate)

Fig. 1B

Oenothera
(4-nucleate)

Fig. 1C

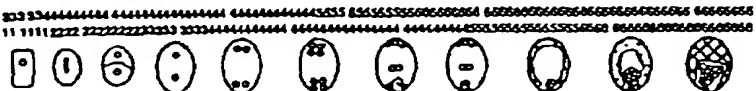
Taraxacum
(8-nucleate)

Fig. 1D

Diplospority (apomixis)

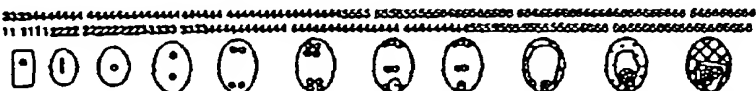
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Fig. 1E

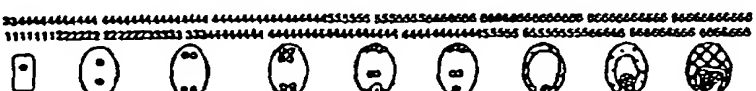
Antennaria
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Fig. 1F

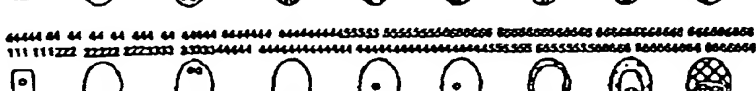
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(4-nucleate)

Fig. 1G

Apomixity (apomixis)

Hieracium
(8-nucleate)

Fig. 1H

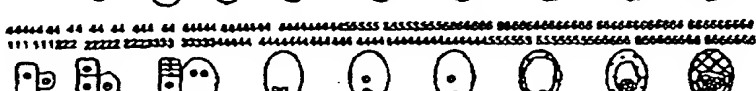
Panicum
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Fig. 1I

Tetraspority (mbis)

Adoxa
(8-nucleate)

Fig. 1J

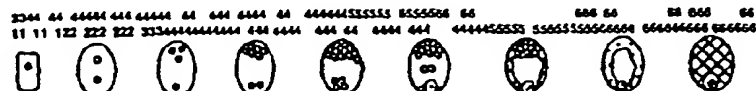
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Fig. 1K

Plumbagella
(4-nucleate)

Fig. 1L

Bispority (mbis)

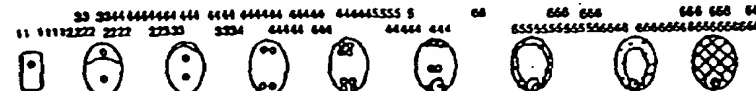
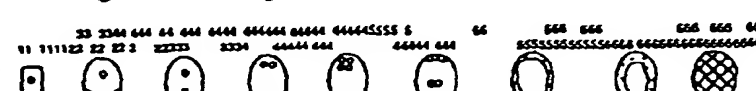
Allium
(8-nucleate)

Fig. 1M

Endymion
(8-nucleate)

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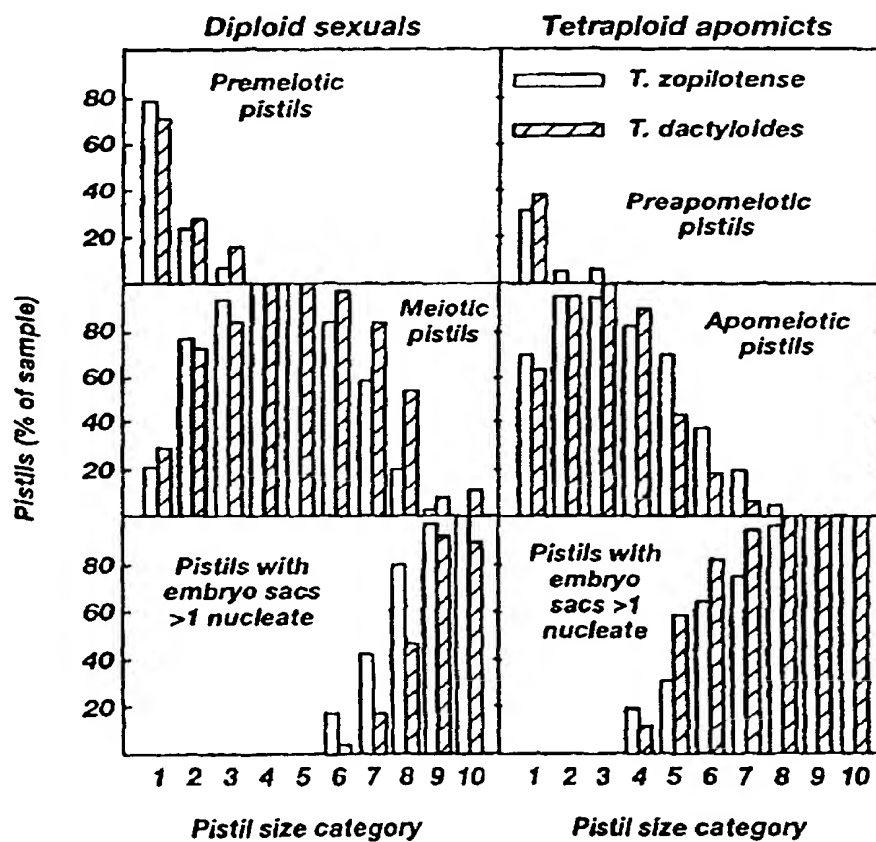


Fig. 3

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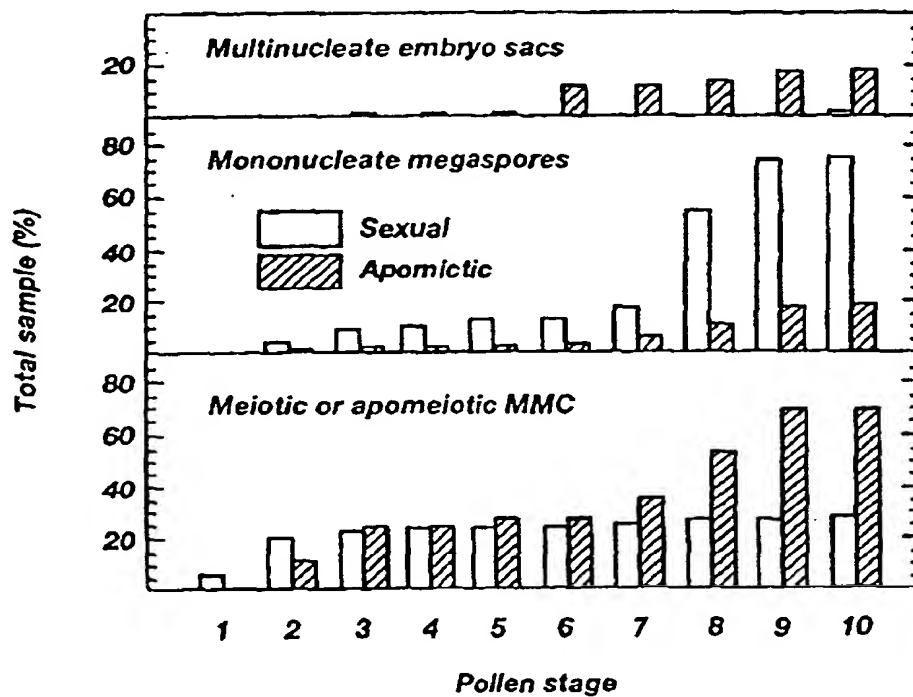


Fig. 4